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NOTICE OF EX PARTE FILING

TO: NTIA Docket No. 090309298-9299-01 (Broadband Grant Programs)

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Between March 9 and March 14, 2009, MMTC had a series of discussions with NTIA staff concerning the inclusion of SDB issues in the hearings and in the record of the proceeding. The matters discussed are fully described in the six attached e-mails; we also submitted an attachment to one of the emails (EML #1) but the matters therein were not discussed in the meeting referenced in that e-mail. I had incorrectly believed that these materials automatically would be lodged in the record (see Notice, 74 FR 8233 (2009), stating that written presentations will "be placed on the public record") but on re-reading the Notice that is not the case. Therefore I am filing all of the substantive or arguably substantive correspondence herewith.

Attachments

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